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If you'd rather lick your drink than sip it, try one of the Wicker Park bar's new Grey Goose popsicles (\$5) in either Cherry Noir (Cherry Noir vodka, fresh raspberries and lemon juice) or Orange (L'Orange vodka, fresh-squeezed orange juice and tropical punch). 4 p.m.-2 a.m.

DO



ALL THAT GLITTERS

Gorilla Tango Theatre

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Glitter abounds at the \$500 GTT Burlesque Thing, a bump-and-grind competition that kicks off Wednesday with performances by Darling Shear, Holly Wouldn't, Phaedra Black, Bella Canto, Cinnamon Twist and **Cruel Valentine**. Cheer on your favorites—the top audience vote-getters move on to the May 23 finals for a chance at the \$500 grand prize. 9 p.m. \$15.

FIGHT FOR YOUR RIGHTS

Stage 773

1225 W. Belmont Ave. 773-327-5252

How far would you go for love—or to demand withheld rights? Catch a preview performance of Shattered Globe Theatre drama "Her Naked Skin" to see how historical conflicts—in this case, a love story that unfolds in 1913 London between two women of different classes imprisoned for their suffragette activities—resonate with issues of today. 8 p.m. \$18.



EAT

NOT YOUR MAMA'S BRISKET

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DONATION STATION?

CNN

On average, 18 people in the U.S. die each day waiting for an organ transplant.

Billionaire Facebook co-founder Mark Zuckerberg wants to change that. He announced Tuesday that the social networking site wants to "help solve the crisis" by allowing users to volunteer as potential organ donors in the U.S.

"We think that a lot of people who might just be on the fence about whether or not they want to do this, could be convinced to do that," Zuckerberg told ABC News.

He described widespread acceptance of organ donation as "a shift in society that will probably take a while to fully take hold" until more Facebook users start sharing their experiences.

"We could save thousands more lives a year if we had another 20, 30, 40 million more people registered," said David Fleming, president and CEO of Donate Life America, which is partnering with Facebook in this effort.

The Facebook tool works like this: Users go to their timelines, where under Life Event they will see a health and wellness section. Zuckerberg said: "You put in, 'I decided to be an organ donor' and your state or country you live in and you can add a story about how you decided to be an organ donor."

A Facebook user will also see a Share Your Donor Status link when a friend's donor update hits their news feed.

The Facebook page also includes links to Donate Life America for people to become official donors. Going through an online state registry or indicating you want to be a donor when you get your driver's license means signing a legal agreement, unlike the Facebook pledge.

"The Facebook partnership is an opportunity for people to share decisions," Fleming said. "The most important part of this is actually registering to be a donor so that your wishes can be carried out. Sharing that decision through Facebook is an opportunity to encourage your friends and family to also register."



**FACEBOOK
UNVEILS PLAN
TO AID ORGAN
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BY THE NUMBERS

114,000

Number of people in the U.S. who are awaiting organ donations

79

Number of people on an average day who receive an organ transplant

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Number of people on an average day who die waiting for one

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Number of people who are registered organ donors in the U.S.

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It's absolutely fabulous that so many people will learn how easy it is to sign up to be an organ, eye and tissue donor."

—Anne Paschke, a spokeswoman for the United Network for Organ Sharing



Boystown and bachelorettes



Waymon Hudson

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Ladies, you know we love you. There always has been—and always will be—a special bond between gay men and straight women. It's a bond as old as time itself—or at least dating back to "Will & Grace."

Now that spring has arrived, it's time for our annual talk about Boystown boundaries before the inevitable bach-

elorette party invasion becomes a debauch-
erous spiral into broken heels and street
puking.

Yes, I know gay men make you feel special and safe. You come to our clubs so you won't get hit on or groped like you would in a straight establishment. You come so we can tell you how fabulous you are, so you can hear the best music and see the hottest strippers. We get it. We really do.

Just realize that while Boystown is a safe space for you, it also is a safe space for us as a community and a place where many of us live. Our bars are places we can dance, kiss, hug, hold hands and just be our incredible gay selves without fear of stupidity or homophobia.

Know and respect that we have fought hard to carve out places where we can let down our hair and just have fun. So when you drunkenly grope our crotches because you think it's OK or ask us to kiss so you can squeal at the excitement of watching—gasp!—two men make out, it's offensive. And

it pisses us off. A lot. We aren't exotic zoo animals for you to come gawk at.

Which leads to the next point: Stop telling us it's "such a waste" that we're gay. I don't care how handsome you think a gay man is or how much you mean it as a compliment, saying that is stupid, plain and simple. (And trust us, it certainly doesn't go to waste. Just ask our boyfriends or husbands.)

If you aren't a personal gal-pal, we don't want to take care of you as you get sloppy drunk. And we don't want to wear your penis-shaped bachelorette party necklace—if we want to see a penis, we'll just look down. We also don't want to wear the drink you're spilling, watch your purse or hold your heels. We perform those sacred duties only for the women in our lives who have earned it by being our friends.

On a more serious note, realize that in this state we still can't get married. Making Boystown a pre-wedding destination is little like rubbing salt in an open wound. We're happy you can legally celebrate your love, but please be sensitive to the fact that we still can't. In the eyes of the state of Illinois and the federal government, our relationships are less important than yours. Be mindful of that as you shove dollar bills down strippers' G-strings, and make a pledge to help us change the laws holding us back from all celebrating together equally.

As you prepare to descend on Halsted Street, I'll leave you with this rule of thumb: Treat us and our spaces with respect, and we'll do the same for you. Then we'll be happy to dance the night away, have fun and commiserate about dating men. Hey, maybe we'll even wear that penis necklace.

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LET'S TUMBL!

You need some new material to discuss during hangouts with friends this weekend, don't you? We've got you covered. The Tumblr community served up a trove of new accounts to check out in the past few weeks, and we picked a few that are absolutely must-follows.

JESSICA GALLIART, REDEYE SOCIAL MEDIA LADY

Bon Iver Erotic Stories

boniverotica.tumblr.com

Detailing the fictional and hilariously erotic adventures of the ever-romantic, sensitive and outdoorsy musician Justin Vernon, who, according to this Tumblr, gets a thrill out of farmers markets, dreamcatchers and linen rompers. Safe for work, I promise.



39 Reasons to Adopt Meow

39reasonstoadoptmeow.tumblr.com

This site posts one photo per day detailing why you should adopt the massive, 39-pound cat named Meow who was turned over to an animal shelter in New Mexico last month and instantly became your new favorite cat meme.

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NBA on Tumblr

nba.tumblr.com

Nope, the NBA really didn't have an official Tumblr account until recently. Follow for some awesome images from the NBA vault, including one of our very own Michael Jordan from the olden days.

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When in Boystown

wheninboystown.tumblr.com

Like it or not, this Tumblr recounting nights at Sidetrack and brunch in the Lakeview micro-hood is quickly making the rounds as one for your bookmarks list.



Animals Being [Bleeps]

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Here's a hint: Rhymes with chicks, means jerks. Be prepared for the best collection of animal GIFs of all time.



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Demonstrators join hands as they march down Washington Boulevard during Tuesday's May Day rally. Lenny Gilmore/REDEYE PHOTOS

Peaceful protests

No arrests reported after May Day marches

Chicago Tribune

Occupy protesters, anti-war demonstrators and union supporters staged a series of May Day rallies and marches Tuesday with little disruption to the workday in Chicago's business district.

Protest groups and authorities alike saw the events as a tuneup for the May 20-21 NATO summit, which is expected to bring much bigger crowds seeking the spotlight at the gathering of world leaders.

Police estimated the crowd at about 1,000, though at times it easily might have been twice that size. No arrests were reported.

Police Superintendent Garry McCarthy was at Federal Plaza and after the rally ended, he pronounced the day a success.

"I think our training is good and frankly it wasn't that big a crowd," McCarthy said. The police followed normal parade and protest protocols, he said, and had backups who were not called upon.



Brendan Sullivan, 28, of Bloomington, holds a flag Tuesday during Chicago's May Day march.

HUDSON FAMILY KILLINGS



Neighbor testifies against Balfour

Chicago Tribune

A former friend and neighbor of Jennifer Hudson's family testified Tuesday he saw William Balfour spying on the Hudsons' home late one night in the summer before three members of the singer's family were slain.

Reginald Jones, 55, testified that he was good friends with Hudson's brother, Jason Hudson, and often would perform odd jobs for the family, including walking their dog, fixing cars and running errands.

Jones, who admitted he had a crack cocaine habit, also bought drugs from Jason Hudson and would occasionally help him sell "dime bags" of crack from the Englewood home.

Balfour, 30, is accused of gunning down Jason Hudson, 29; mother Darnell Donerson, 57; and 7-year-old Julian King on Oct. 24, 2008, allegedly because he was angry his wife wanted a divorce and was seeing someone new.



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Seward Johnson's "Forever Marilyn" sculpture will leave Pioneer Court on Monday after a 10-month stint in Chicago. **MICHAEL TERCHA/TRIBUNE**

She had LEGS

**Love it or hate it, Marilyn
statue was talk of the town**

Chicago Tribune

The crowds began posing beneath the 26-foot-tall Marilyn Monroe's billowing skirt from the moment Seward Johnson's "Forever Marilyn" sculpture arrived in Pioneer Court in July, and they were doing so with just as much enthusiasm and amusement Tuesday, a mere six days before the sculpture finally moves on to the next city.

Jenee Castellanos, associate curator at the Sculpture Foundation, said the group will announce the next city that will get to gawk at "Forever Marilyn" in a couple of weeks. Meanwhile, Zeller Realty Group folks (owners of Pioneer Court) aren't saying what will replace her, or when. But don't be shocked if Seward Johnson strikes again.

"We've really enjoyed working with Seward Johnson," Zeller executive assistant Melissa Farrell said. "I can't say for sure what the next work will be, the next installation, but we think his

sculptures are very well-suited for our plaza."

"Forever Marilyn," which re-creates the famous moment from the 1955 movie "The Seven Year Itch" in which a New York subway grate blows the sex symbol's skirt up, has been one of the city's most discussed, most debated and most gawked-at works of public art. The New Jersey-based Johnson's previous installation in that space, a similarly oversized rendering of the couple from Grant Wood's "American Gothic" called "God Bless America," received plenty of attention but didn't inspire countless passers-by to pose for photos while ogling the farmer wife's underwear.

Since Monday's announcement that "Forever Marilyn" will become Gone Marilyn as of Monday, the Twittersphere has been percolating with comments on the subject: "Looking up Marilyn Monroe's skirt isn't any less creepy because she's a statue."

In August, virtualtourist.com ranked "Forever Marilyn" No. 1 among its Top 10 pieces of bad public art, citing its huge scale, "its impropriety given that the movie to which it pays tribute is set in New York and its perceived crudeness given that viewers are able to look directly up the screen siren's dress."

But no matter; Zeller, which owns the plaza on the east side of Michigan Avenue between the Chicago River and Tribune Tower, considers the installation a success.

"She's the most photographed thing we've had on the plaza," Farrell said. "All hours of the day people are posing with her, taking pictures. We see it on our security cameras. She always has a crowd."

Officials urge state to OK plan for tax cheats

Cook County Board President Toni Preckwinkle and Assessor Joe Berrios on Tuesday urged state lawmakers to give them more power to go after property owners who improperly claim tax breaks, saying they could recover more than \$150 million in three years. Under legislation pending in Springfield, counties could go after back taxes from people who wrongly received homestead exemptions.

Family, city settle hit-and-run lawsuit

The family of a 4-year-old girl whose death in a 2006 hit-and-run accident near Lincoln Park Zoo became a rallying point for traffic safety advocates has reached a settlement in a civil lawsuit against the city, their lawyer says. Lawyers for the city and the family of Maya Hirsch, struck while crossing the street at Lincoln Park West and Belden Avenue, canceled a civil trial that was set to begin Tuesday.

Twitter account shut down after incident

Sun-Times sportswriter Joe Cowley's Twitter account, [@cst_cowley](https://twitter.com/cst_cowley), was deleted as of Monday, after a series of tweets sparked a feud with Upstate New York-based sports reporter Sloane Martin. Apparently delayed while waiting for a flight Sunday, Cowley had fired off a series of tweets likening flight attendants to Sasquatch and questioning the abilities of the plane's "chick pilot."



**MICHAEL TERCHA/
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M-Rahm announces deal with city workers

New city streets and sanitation workers will be paid less, be cross-trained for jobs and receive raises based on hours worked to save taxpayers an estimated \$30 million over the next six years, Mayor Emanuel (above with Laborers' Local 1001 President William Irving) announced Tuesday. The starting hourly rate for new workers will be \$20 an hour compared with the current entry rate of \$33 per hour.

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1 Surprise! Obama's in Afghanistan

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2 Lawmakers: Murdoch unfit to run company

Global media tycoon Rupert Murdoch is "not a fit person" to run a major international company, British lawmakers investigating phone hacking at his tabloid News of the World reported Tuesday.

3 Sneak peek at new BlackBerry

The long-awaited BlackBerry 10 took a step closer to becoming reality Tuesday, when Research In Motion made an early version available to developers. It is scheduled to be released to the public in the fall.

4 Feds guard against 'body bombs'

Steps were being taken to guard against a new threat of "body bombs" planted inside passengers aboard flights heading to the U.S. from overseas, a government official with knowledge of the threat said Tuesday.

Navy investigates female submariners

Two of the first women to be chosen by the U.S. Navy to serve on submarines have had their duties reassigned and are being investigated for fraud, according to U.S. Navy officials.

THE DIGIT

71-91% That's the percentage range of

Muslims questioned in Egypt, Jordan, Turkey and Lebanon who view al-Qaida in an unfavorable way, according to a study by the Pew Research Center's Global Attitudes Project.

5 held in Ohio bomb plot case

5 An anarchist nicknamed "Cyco" was among five men arrested after allegedly conspiring to blow up a bridge about 15 miles south of Cleveland, according to court documents released Tuesday.

Douglas L. Wright, 26, joined alleged co-conspirators Brandon L. Baxter, 20, aka "Skabby," and Anthony Hayne, 37, aka "Tony" and "Billy," in a plot authorities say homed in on the Brecksville-Northfield High Level Bridge, which spans the Cuyahoga Valley National Park and carries a four-lane highway.

The men were arrested Monday evening in an FBI sting but posed no real danger to the public because their explosives were inert and controlled by an undercover FBI employee, the bureau said in a statement. They have been charged with conspiracy and attempted use of explosive materials to damage physical prop-

THE PLOT

Officials allege the men conspired to acquire plastic explosives (C-4) and build two bombs, affixing them to the bridge's support columns to be remotely detonated Monday.

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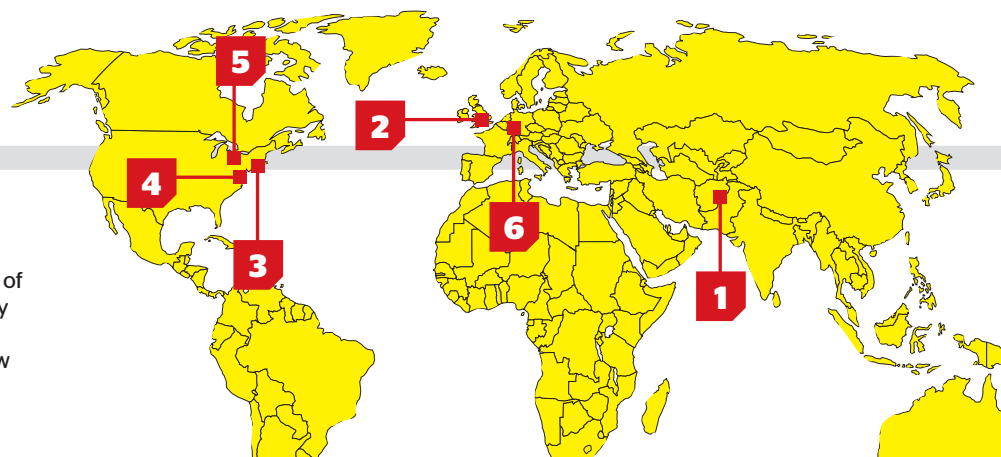
Connor C. Stevens, 20, and Joshua S. Stafford, 23, also were arrested, though their charges remain pending.

Authorities say at least three of the men are self-proclaimed anarchists who had considered "a series of evolving plots over several months."

"The defendants stand charged based not upon any words or beliefs they might espouse, but based upon their own plans and actions," U.S. Attorney Steven Dettelbach said.



6 JOINT VENTURE A man protesting a ban on selling cannabis to foreigners pretends to smoke a mock joint in front of the central train station Tuesday in Maastricht, Netherlands. **REUTERS**



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Andre Iguodala dunks over the Bulls' Luol Deng on Tuesday.
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HOW DID THE BULLS LOOK WITHOUT DERRICK ROSE?

FLAT

RedEye

When Derrick Rose went down with a torn ACL in Saturday's playoff-opening game at the United Center against Philadelphia, sports talking heads were near unanimous in their declaration that the Bulls could not win a championship without their superstar point guard.

Fans, while perhaps dubious, pledged their support, believing the Bulls can persevere as they did when they went 18-9 during the 27 games Rose missed during the regular season.

Tuesday night began the test of those two competing lines of thought. Here's a look at Tuesday's four quarters and what they might tell us about the future of the Bulls this postseason.

FIRST QUARTER

It was a surprisingly quiet United Center as the Bulls took the court for the first time without Rose. The energy the crowd could have supplied could have helped the Bulls, who looked a bit sluggish. Without their point guard, perhaps that's to be expected. A trio of Bulls led the team with six points each—Joakim Noah, Carlos Boozer and Richard Hamilton—while Rose's replacement in the starting lineup, C.J. Watson, had five. Hamilton also dished out four assists.

Long-term outlook: The team-replacing-the-star theory took hold in the first quarter, with balanced scoring and no go-to player emerging. They'll need someone to rely on in the clutch, however. That player will have to emerge.

SCORE: Bulls 28, Philadelphia 25



John Lucas III
REUTERS

SECOND QUARTER

The second quarter is always reserved for the Bench Mob. The bench players' extended minutes in the second often extended or at least held the starters' lead during the season. It's one of the team's strengths. With Watson starting, the Bench Mob looked off. John Lucas III started the quarter and never really found his rhythm. The 76ers fought back to take the lead with the bench on the floor until the starters cycled in with just more than 5 minutes left. Then, Noah sparked the Bulls with his defense and his scoring, finishing with 14 in the half.

Long-term outlook: The bench has to live up to its reputation of being better than the other teams' bench. If not, it'll be a short postseason.

SCORE: Bulls 55, Philadelphia 47

THE STARTING LINE

» Northern Illinois football players Trevor Olson (Tampa Bay) and fullback Cameron Bell (San Francisco) sign NFL deals.



BULL PEN

PLAYOFF NEWS AND NOTES



Rose
GETTY IMAGES

Rose is in the house

Derrick Rose entered the United Center on Tuesday night on crutches. It was hard to see, but his presence no doubt energized his teammates. It certainly did the crowd.

Maybe next year, Thibs

Bulls coach Tom Thibodeau finished second to San Antonio coach Gregg Popovich as Coach of the Year, the NBA announced Tuesday. Popovich received 77 first-, 24 second- and 10 third-place votes for 467 points. Thibodeau drew 27 first-, 53 second- and 21 third-place votes for 315 points. Thibodeau, who won the honor last season, would have been the first to repeat as COY.

Sounds good to us

Blackhawks anthem singer Jim Cornelison sang "The Star Spangled Banner" before Tuesday night's Bulls-Philadelphia game, putting the United Center crowd in a predictable frenzy. Cornelison will be on hand to do the same before every Bulls home playoff game.

GAME 3 at Philadelphia
7 p.m. Friday, CSN

GAME 4 at Philadelphia
noon Sunday, ABC

GAME 5 at United Center
TBA Tuesday, CSN

GAME 6 at Philadelphia
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GAME 7 at United Center
TBA May 12, CSN*

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THIRD QUARTER

No matter how you slice it, this was an ugly showing for the Bulls. The defense was porous, the offense was stagnant, the United Center was quiet. The 76ers came out of halftime on fire, outscoring the Bulls 36-14. Nothing worked for the Bulls.

Long-term outlook: One thing the Bulls could always count on was their defense, and it disappeared along with the offense in the third. The D, frankly, is their only hope of a long run without Rose.

SCORE: Philadelphia 83, Bulls 69



Taj Gibson
CHRIS SWEDA/TRIBUNE

FOURTH QUARTER

The fourth quarter was much like the third. The 76ers did pretty much whatever they wanted on offense, and the Bulls didn't put up much resistance.

Long-term outlook: Let's just leave it at "shaky."

FINAL SCORE:
Philadelphia 109, Bulls 92
Series tied 1-1.

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1 How is an NBA playoff game different in Philly, site of Games 3 and 4?

Chicago puts the Bulls in Bullies.

More cheese steaks, more ug-moes, Allen Iverson tries to sneak into the game.

Less crowd noise, more potential bruising from crowd-hurled projectiles.

Aside from the cheese steaks, Tasty Cakes and water ice, "forget about it."

Playoff games in Philly are as rare as a fine wine since they haven't made it out of the first round in a decade.

2 The Heat left their players in with a 12-point lead with a minute left. Discuss.

Doubt that Amar'e gave them a hand.

They were playing the Knic-hahaha! Sorry, I couldn't sell that one with a straight face.

I don't want to.

If they actually pulled all their players, a comeback might have been possible.

You've got to get those guys as much playing time as possible to sharpen their flopping skills for closer games.

3 The Cubs ended April at 8-15. Better or worse than you imagined?

8-15 is the last day of my 20s. I never imagined.

About par for the course. At what point do Cubs fans just stop going to games?

Eight games? I don't remember them winning eight games. I demand proof.

Worse. I was honestly thinking this was their year: on PlayStation 3!

All I could imagine was indifference.

4 Update readers on the Stanley Cup playoffs, please.

Haven't watched since the Blackhawks Cup run-neth, over.

Can I update them on "Mad Men" instead? Two words: Blow. Ski.

The Hawks and Canucks are out. Canada is out. That's pretty much all you need to know.

Coyotes howling, Kings singing the Blues, Caps are on Broadway and Philadelphia is flying. Questions?

Those are still going on?

5 Make a sports prediction for May.

Every day will be Mayday for the Cubs.

Oklahoma City will be upset in the second round. Boom.

LeBron will cry at least once. Also, his headband will continue to recede.

With April showers come May flowers: Rose returns—May 2013.

The Cubs will win at least five games. There. I said it.

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April downers?

A closer look at how Cubs and Sox started the season

The conventional wisdom heading into this baseball season was the Cubs and White Sox were going to be pretty miserable. After about a month of action, are they living up—down?—to their reputation? Let's review. **REDEYE**



CUBS
8-15, last place

LaHair
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HIGHLIGHT

» Bryan LaHair's .390 batting average with 14 RBIs.



BIGGEST SURPRISE

» Matt Garza (left) has 36 strikeouts to lead the NL.

DISAPPOINTMENT

» So many to choose from, but Kerry Wood hurt again is hard to top.



SOX
11-11, 2nd place

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HIGHLIGHT

» Philip Humber's perfect game.



BIGGEST SURPRISE

» Jake Peavy (left) leading the AL with a 1.67 ERA.

DISAPPOINTMENT

» Unimpressive home record of 4-7. That's not gonna up attendance.



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For Amar'e, shirt happens

That didn't take long. Within hours of the news of N.Y. Knicks player Amar'e Stoudemire's assault on a fire extinguisher, a T-shirt honoring the occasion popped up at crosstownny.bigcartel.com. Bravo, fellas.

THE DIGIT

0 That's the number of home runs St. Louis Cardinals-turned-L.A. Angels slugger Albert Pujols hit in April.



THE FINISH LINE

» Cubs at Cincinnati, postponed » White Sox 7, Cleveland 2

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IT WON'T BE EASY TO FOLLOW IN 'AVENGERS'-SIZE FOOTSTEPS

By Matt Pals | REDEYE

Superhero movies don't get much bigger than "The Avengers," the blockbuster opening Friday that already has broken box-office records around the world. So it's fitting that the Marvel all-star team of Iron Man (Robert Downey Jr.), Captain America (Chris Evans), The Incredible Hulk (Mark Ruffalo), Black Widow (Scarlett Johansson), Thor (Chris Hemsworth), Hawkeye (Jeremy Renner) and Nick Fury (Samuel L. Jackson) should kick off what looks to be a booming summer movie season. Summer is, after all, when Hollywood unleashes its action, adventure and comedy flicks. Including "The Avengers," here are 20 movies that should have audiences buzzing this summer.



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MAY



Dark Shadows May 11

Trying something different, Tim Burton ("Alice in Wonderland") helms a darkly comic film starring Johnny Depp as a quirky, bizarre-yet-lovable character in an unusual situation. Now he's a vampire awoken in the early '70s in this big-screen take on the late-'60s soap opera.



The Dictator

May 16

The trailer for "The Dictator," about an oppressive leader working to ensure his country never turns democratic, suggests the latest from Sacha Baron Cohen ("Borat," "Bruno") could either be hysterical or somewhat funny with a side of uncomfortable.



Battleship

May 18

With no plotline to maintain, the Milton Bradley board game transforms into, seemingly, a spinoff of "Transformers" that takes place in the ocean. Oh, did we mention Rihanna is in it?



Men in Black 3

May 25

When Agent J (Will Smith) goes back in time, Josh Brolin makes a good stand-in as a younger Agent K (Tommy Lee Jones), and writer Etan Cohen could find new comic life in a series most assumed was dead.

JUNE



Moonrise Kingdom June 1

This tale of kids in love and adults (including Edward Norton, Bruce Willis, Bill Murray, Tilda Swinton and Frances McDormand) who search for the youngsters when they flee from their 1960s New England town appears to have more pep than director Wes Anderson has shown in a while.



Snow White and the Huntsman June 1

This 100-percent-guaranteed-to-be-better-than-"Mirror Mirror" flick finds a much more sinister tone, featuring an evil queen (Charliz Theron) who isn't self-consciously quirky and a heroine (Kristen Stewart) with actual screen presence.



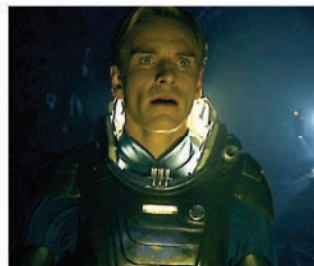
Rock of Ages June 15

Hmm, do I get excited about a movie starring Alec Baldwin, Catherine Zeta-Jones and Paul Giamatti featuring hair metal music I admittedly enjoy? I'll just say I also liked director Adam Shankman's take on "Hairspray" and leave it at that.



G.I. Joe: Retaliation June 29

This sequel to 2009's "G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra" features a smaller part for Channing Tatum and new, buff blood in Dwayne "The Rock" Johnson and Bruce Willis. Action figures, unite!



Prometheus June 8

Whether "Prometheus" is a prequel to "Alien" or not, Ridley Scott's movie about aliens, co-written by "Lost" co-creator Damon Lindelof, features an awesome cast (including Michael Fassbender, Charlize Theron, Noomi Rapace) and a trailer that just plain kicks ass.



Abraham Lincoln: Vampire Hunter June 22

What, this was a part of history you didn't know? This action flick actually looks oddly fun, despite coming from the director of the moronic "Wanted."



Magic Mike June 29

More Channing Tatum. A lot more. Sure, act like you weren't looking forward to this flick about Tatum's days as a stripper. Just be glad that "Magic Mike" comes from director Steven Soderbergh. You did hear that Joe Manganiello plays a guy named Big Dick Richie, right?

JULY



The Amazing Spider-Man July 3

It's been five whole years without a "Spider-Man" movie; it's about time the franchise got a reboot starring Andrew Garfield as a snarkier Peter Parker.



Ted July 13

"Family Guy" creator Seth MacFarlane writes, directs and voices the titular raunchy teddy bear that comes to life as a result of John's (Mark Wahlberg) childhood wish. Co-starring Mila Kunis as the girlfriend who wishes John would get rid of Ted, this could be equal parts great and terrible.



The Dark Knight Rises July 20

No introduction needed. Christopher Nolan's conclusion to his Batman trilogy has enormous expectations ("The Dark Knight" ain't an easy act to follow) and will make hundreds and hundreds of millions of dollars. As it should.

» Have you seen the new trailer? **Page 20**

AUG.



The Bourne Legacy Aug. 3

Stifle the instinct to scoff at a "Bourne" movie without Matt Damon and trust that director/co-writer Tony Gilroy, who wrote the three previous Bourne movies, won't botch the continuation of the franchise with Jeremy Renner as the new expert killer.



Total Recall Aug. 3

This Colin Farrell-starring remake of the Arnold Schwarzenegger flick might look somewhat promising if it weren't the work of director Len Wiseman ("Underworld," "Live Free or Die Hard"), who doesn't know anything about fun.

The Campaign Aug. 10 (release date not yet confirmed)

Will Ferrell and Zach Galifianakis running for president? Sounds ridiculous. Which is something director Jay Roach (the "Austin Powers" series) knows something about.

The Expendables 2 Aug. 17

The 2010, we're-not-too-old-for-this-[bleep] action flick "The Expendables" wasn't so bad, and I remember absolutely nothing about it. Jean-Claude Van Damme, Liam Hemsworth and Chuck Norris join the party for this sequel.

Premium Rush Aug. 24

There's something funny about an action movie centered on a bike messenger, but Joseph Gordon-Levitt picks his projects really carefully, and director/co-writer David Koepp's last effort was the wildly underrated "Ghost Town."

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New 'Dark Knight Rises' trailer ups anticipation

The Wrap

Menace is the order of the day in the latest trailer for Christopher Nolan's feverishly anticipated "The Dark Knight Rises," as Anne Hathaway's Catwoman says ominous things, Joseph Gordon-Levitt's Gotham beat cop looks awestruck, afraid and hopeful all at once, and Bane's voice—if not his motives—becomes a little more clear.

Batman is in the movie, too.

Christian Bale spends a lot of time in Bruce Wayne mode, apparently being tormented by Tom Hardy's Bane. Though Bane's first trailer appearance left fans worried about whether they'd be able to understand the masked villain—his voice was a mix of formal and squeaky—Nolan seems to have made adjustments. Bane now sounds measured, icy and cruel as he explains to Wayne that he's in for a lot of pain.

"Why didn't you just kill me?" asks a battered Wayne.

"Your punishment must be more severe," responds Bane, going half Darth Vader.

The jittery feeling that pervaded "The



'The Dark Knight Rises'

Dark Knight" looks to have been replaced by full-blown despair.

Talking to Hathaway's Selina Kyle, known in the comics, at least, as Catwoman, Batman doesn't sound more optimistic about his survival than Bane does. (And his voice also sounds better than it did in "The Dark Knight.")

There's also an insane jailhouse flip, two bridges exploding spectacularly, a kiss with Marion Cotillard, Michael Caine's Alfred trying to make us cry, an awesome flying contraption and many other things that may make you forget about "The Avengers."

See the new trailer at redeyechicago.com

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- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 2:50, 5:20, 8:10, 11:05
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) 4:30, 10:40
- The Pirates! Band of Misfits 3D (PG) 11:40, 4:20, 9:10
- Titanic 3D (PG-13) 12:30 P.M.
- American Reunion (R) 7:10, 9:50
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- Think Like a Man (PG-13) 10:30, 1:00, 1:35, 4:00, 4:35, 7:00, 7:35, 10:00, 10:35
- Safe (R) ♦ 10:40, 1:25, 4:05, 6:45, 9:30
- The Raven (R) 11:10, 1:55, 4:50, 7:40, 10:25
- AMC Independent Titanic 3D (PG-13) 10:45, 2:45, 7:15
- The Lucky One (PG-13) 11:00, 1:45, 4:30, 7:05, 9:40
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) ♦ 10:25, 1:15, 4:10, 7:05, 10:05
- AMC Independent Woman Thou Art Loosed: On the 7th Day (PG-13) 11:15, 4:20, 9:35
- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 10:55, 1:35, 4:10, 6:35, 9:05
- The Three Stooges (PG) 11:45, 2:15, 4:45, 7:25, 9:55
- Dr. Seuss' the Lorax (PG) 10:35, 1:05, 3:30, 5:40, 7:50, 10:25
- AMC Independent The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) ♦ 11:05, 4:40

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- Mahler on the Couch (NR) 6:00 P.M.
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- Just Another Day (NR)

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- Mirror Mirror (PG) 3:30, 5:30
- 21 Jump Street (R) 7:50, 10:00
- The Raid: Redemption (R) 3:40, 5:40, 7:40, 9:40

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- The Hunger Games (PG-13) 11:00, 2:05, 5:10, 8:40
- Lockout (PG-13) 12:50, 3:15, 10:50
- Mirror Mirror (PG) ♦ 11:45, 2:15, 10:45
- AMC Independent Bully (PG-13) 11:00, 1:40, 4:20, 6:50, 9:40
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) ♦ 1:35, 2:35, 4:40, 5:40, 7:45, 8:45, 11:00
- American Reunion (R) 11:00, 1:45, 4:35, 7:25, 10:15
- Safe (R) ♦ 1:40, 4:00, 6:20, 8:35, 10:55
- The Raven (R) ♦ 11:10, 1:55, 4:40, 7:25, 10:50
- AMC Independent Titanic 3D (PG-13) ♦ 3:45, 8:15
- The Lucky One (PG-13) 11:35, 2:20, 3:45, 5:05, 6:30, 7:50, 9:15, 10:35
- The Metropolitan Opera: La Traviata Encore (NR) 6:30 P.M.
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) ♦ 11:30, 1:30, 2:30, 4:30, 5:30, 7:30, 8:15, 10:30, 11:00
- AMC Independent The Raid: Redemption (R) 4:05, 9:25
- Chimpanzee (G) 10:00, 12:00, 2:30, 4:25, 10:55
- The Cabin in the Woods (R) ♦ 11:40, 2:05, 4:25, 6:50, 9:20
- The Three Stooges (PG) 11:30, 2:10, 4:40, 7:15, 9:45
- AMC Independent The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) ♦ 11:30, 1:50, 4:10, 6:30, 8:45, 11:00
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- Wrath of the Titans 3D (PG-13) 8:25, 10:50
- The Hunger Games (PG-13) 6:50 P.M.
- Lockout (PG-13) 8:40, 11:00
- Mirror Mirror (PG) 12:05, 3:00, 5:40
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- Think Like a Man (PG-13) 12:45, 3:55, 7:00, 10:10
- American Reunion (R) 2:10, 5:10, 8:10, 10:55
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- AMC Independent The Raid: Redemption (R) 5:50 P.M.
- The Hunger Games: The IMAX Experience (PG-13) 1:30, 5:00, 8:30
- Chimpanzee (G) 12:30, 3:10, 5:20, 7:50, 10:15
- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 1:05, 3:30, 6:10, 8:35, 11:00
- The Three Stooges (PG) 12:50, 3:25, 6:20, 9:00
- Dr. Seuss' the Lorax (PG) 1:10, 3:35
- AMC Independent The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) 12:40, 3:20, 6:05, 8:45
- 21 Jump Street (R) 12:20, 3:45, 10:30

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- Safe (R) 1:40, 4:15, 6:50, 9:10
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- The Hunger Games (PG-13) 1:05, 1:45, 4:10, 5:40, 7:20, 8:00, 10:30
- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 2:10, 4:45, 7:15, 9:40
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) 1:30, 4:20, 7:10, 10:00
- 21 Jump Street (R) 1:00, 3:30, 6:00, 8:30
- The Pirates! Band of Misfits 3D (PG) 3:40, 8:40
- The Raven (R) 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:50
- The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) 1:10, 6:10
- American Reunion (R) 1:50
- The Lucky One (PG-13) 1:20, 4:00, 6:30, 9:00
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) 1:00, 3:50, 6:40, 9:30
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- The Hunger Games (PG-13) 3:20, 6:50, 10:20
- Mirror Mirror (PG) 1:10, 3:55, 6:40, 9:30
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) 1:15, 2:00, 4:10, 5:00, 7:15, 8:00, 10:10
- American Reunion (R) 1:05, 4:05, 7:10, 10:10
- Safe (R) 3:10, 5:35, 8:05, 10:35
- The Raven (R) 1:55, 4:45, 7:30, 10:15
- AMC Independent Titanic 3D (PG-13) 2:40, 7:05
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 10:05
- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 3:00, 5:45, 8:10, 10:35
- The Three Stooges (PG) 2:10, 4:40, 7:15, 10:00
- AMC Independent The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) 5:10, 10:25
- 21 Jump Street (R) 1:50, 4:50, 7:40, 10:30

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- AMC Independent The Pirates! Band of Misfits 3D (PG) 1:35, 4:00, 6:25, 8:50
- The Hunger Games (PG-13) 12:15, 3:45, 7:10, 10:25
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) 12:45, 1:45, 3:45, 4:45, 7:45, 9:45, 10:40
- American Reunion (R) 2:20, 5:15, 8:10, 10:35
- Safe (R) 2:15, 5:00, 7:50, 10:30
- The Raven (R) 12:45, 3:30, 6:05, 8:45
- AMC Independent Titanic 3D (PG-13) 12:20, 4:30, 8:40
- The Lucky One (PG-13) 2:30, 5:05, 7:45, 10:35
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) 1:30, 4:35, 7:35, 10:30
- Chimpanzee (G) 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:25, 9:45
- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 6:00, 8:35
- The Three Stooges (PG) 1:15, 3:45, 6:10, 9:00
- Dr. Seuss' the Lorax (PG) 1:00, 3:30
- AMC Independent The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) 2:10, 4:40, 7:30, 9:55

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- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 1:45, 4:20, 6:40, 9:30
- The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) ♦ (Closed caption) 12:40, 3:00, 5:20
- 21 Jump Street (R) 2:20, 5:15, 8:00, 10:45
- Safe (R) ♦ 1:15, 3:40, 6:10, 8:30, 11:00
- The Hunger Games (PG-13) 1:00, 4:10, 7:20, 10:30
- Chimpanzee (G) ♦ (Closed caption) 12:30, 2:40, 4:45, 6:50, 9:10
- American Reunion (R) 2:30, 5:10, 7:45, 10:20
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) ♦ (Closed caption) 8:10, 11:10
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) ♦ 12:15, 1:10, 1:50, 3:10, 4:00, 4:50, 6:00, 7:40, 8:50, 10:00, 10:40
- The Raven (R) ♦ 1:40, 4:40, 7:30, 10:15
- Bully (PG-13) 2:00, 4:30
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) ♦ (Closed caption) 2:10, 5:00, 7:50, 10:50
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) ♦ 1:20, 4:15, 7:10, 10:10
- The Lucky One (PG-13) ♦ (Closed caption) 12:50, 3:30, 6:30
- The Lucky One (PG-13) ♦ 9:20 P.M.

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- Think Like a Man (PG-13) ♦ VIP Premium 21+ 12:15, 3:10, 6:00, 8:50
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) ♦ VIP Premium 21+ 1:20, 4:15, 7:10, 10:10

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1022 Lake Street, Oak Park
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- Bully (PG-13) ♦ 12:15, 2:30, 4:45, 7:00, 9:15
- The Lucky One (PG-13) ♦ 12:30, 2:45, 5:00, 7:15, 9:30
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- Chimpanzee (G) ♦ 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00
- The Three Stooges (PG) 12:20, 2:30, 4:40, 6:50, 9:00
- The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) ♦ 4:10, 8:20

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- The Metropolitan Opera: La Traviata Encore (NR) 6:30
- Safe (R) 12:25, 2:55, 5:15, 7:40, 10:10
- Chimpanzee (G) 12:35, 2:50, 5:00, 7:10, 9:45
- The Hunger Games (PG-13) 12:30, 4:00, 7:15, 10:30
- Think Like a Man (PG-13) 11:00, 1:55, 4:50, 7:45, 10:40
- The Raven (R) 11:20, 12:40, 2:00, 3:20, 4:40, 6:00, 7:20, 8:40, 10:00
- 21 Jump Street (R) 11:45, 2:35, 5:10, 7:55, 10:35
- The Pirates! Band of Misfits (PG) 11:50, 9:20
- The Pirates! Band of Misfits 3D (PG) 2:20, 4:45, 7:00
- Titanic 3D (PG-13) 11:25, 3:30, 10:00
- The Cabin in the Woods (R) 12:45, 3:10, 5:35, 8:00, 10:25
- The Three Stooges (PG) 11:35, 2:05, 4:25, 6:50, 9:15
- The Lucky One (PG-13) 11:55, 1:05, 2:25, 4:55, 7:25, 9:55
- Wings (PG-13) 12:50, 4:10, 7:30
- The Five-Year Engagement (R) 12:00, 1:30, 3:00, 4:30, 6:00, 7:30, 9:00, 10:30
- Damsels in Distress (PG-13) 7:35
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The Volare (left) and Bianca alla Prosciutto pizzas at Volare. LENNY GILMORE/REDEYE PHOTOS

PIZZA REVIEW

By **Kate Bernot** | FOR REDEYE

With sleek, splashy Italian hot spots such as RPM Italian and Filini opening recently, it's easy to forget their culinary grandfathers: the checkered-tablecloth, straw-wrapped-chianti-bottles-on-the-table restaurants. Volare, a 14-year-old Streeterville stalwart in the shadow of Michigan Avenue, was one of those classics, and after closing in March for remodeling, it's back in action. The interior has been spiffed up enough to look current, while servers in ties and complimentary bread baskets are just a few of the old-school details that remain. One notable menu update is the addition of pizzas (\$9-\$12), fired in the brick oven visible in the open kitchen behind the bar.

The crust: When sliced into eighths, the central portion of the pizzas can't stand up to the weight of the four or five toppings that grace each pie. Even when folded, the tip of the slice is still floppy, but thankfully the crust—puffed, crunchy, and golden brown around the edges—ends each piece on a high note.

The sauce: The menu lists San Marzano tomatoes as the sauce's base, and it's a detail worth noting. This Naples-grown variety of plum tomato adds a bright and tangy flavor that stands out even when challenged by meaty toppings. Two white pizzas (look for "bianca" on the menu) don't skimp on the


Volare

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ricotta, a sweet and creamy substitute for red sauce that's just as pleasing.

The toppings: To the delight of carnivores, a hefty dose of salty, paper-thin prosciutto ribbons cascade across three of the five pies. They're best atop the Volare (\$12), where ricotta, artichokes, and plum tomatoes balance the ham's richness, as well as the Bianca alla Prosciutto (\$10), which counters the meatiness with slightly bitter arugula. Vegetarians are relegated to the standard margherita pizza (\$9), the only meatless pie available.

Other stuff: The pizzas vie for attention on the large, newly revamped menu, which is full of substantial portions of risotto, house-made pastas and classic Italian meat dishes. A few starters such as caprese salad (\$12) and half-portions of pasta are a concession to the small-plates trend, but don't expect this to be a light meal.

Bottom line: A stronger, crispier dough would be a better vehicle for these flavorful sauces and plentiful toppings. Despite that literal flop, Volare is worth revisiting when you need to escape from your downtown office or Michigan Avenue traffic—especially when you're feeling nostalgic for servers who still send you off with a hearty "Grazie!"

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At RedEye, we value strong opinions. And Chicago music fans sure have them. After nearly 24,000 votes, you narrowed our RedEye Rock 'n' Vote Top 10 to the 92s, Hospital Garden, the Retar Crew and Santiago x the Natural. These final four will appear at our free show May 16 at Hard Rock Café headlined by former Rock 'n' Vote finalist Rockie Fresh, where they'll compete for your votes. Why? Because the ultimate RedEye Rock 'n' Vote 2012 winner scores a July 15 slot performing at Taste of Chicago. After reading more about the bands you chose below, head to redeyechicago.com to listen to their music.



The 92s

These suburban-based, folk-influenced indie rockers will be back from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign to perform the Rock 'n' Vote show. "Honestly, the majority of Champaign is from the South Side of Chicago," says singer-guitarist Dan Durley, 19. "Absolutely we'll be able to bring people." Listeners will appreciate the quartet's knack for delivering tightly constructed, infectious tales of alienated youths on the EP "Don't Bury Me." "We're tastefully loud," Durley says of the 92s' live show. Come see why that's not an oxymoron.

Santiago x The Natural

"You won't know that we're unsigned indie artists," promises rapper the Natural, 27, of the island-flavored hip-hop/rock outfit's live performances. There's reason to believe him: The Streeterville resident and soon-to-be-Chicago-based producer/vocalist Lawrence Santiago recently performed for more than 11,000 people at a game of the Minnesota Swarm, the professional lacrosse team that chose the group's "Warriors" as its official theme song. At the event, Santiago x The Natural posted a sign telling fans to vote while the duo signed autographs—and in the owner's suite told Sen. Al Franken to vote for them. "I think it went in one ear and out the other," the Natural says with a laugh. Franken's loss!



The Retar Crew

It's not difficult to get out the vote when your on-line following has generated more than 1.6 million hits on YouTube. Yet Lincoln Square-based hip-hop group the Retar Crew (featuring one MC based in New York and named for the members' experience re-tarring roofs) also had celeb support for Rock 'n' Vote. The quartet, who performs with a DJ and horn section, received Twitter love from Def Jam rapper Wax, former "American Idol" finalist Jackie Tohn and White Sox legend Frank Thomas, for whom the Retar Crew recently wrote a song. "He's a fan now; we might be able to get him out to the show," says Jax, 30. Here's hoping.



Hospital Garden

Indie rockers Hospital Garden don't have a name that gives away their sound. "I don't think it evokes any sort of style," says singer-guitarist Lucas Hollow, 29, of Pilsen. "Like a band name like Slayer or Megadeth, something like that makes people know automatically what kind of band it is." One listen to "Ties," the opening track from the band's latest album "Haunter," however, and people will know immediately they've encountered a band (whose name comes from a William Carlos Williams poem) that taps directly into the core of a good rock song. Says Hollow: "I think that we offer good songwriting and perform it with a lot of energy and volume." Sold.



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ALBUM REVIEW

By Emily Van Zandt

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Through her previous three albums, Carrie Underwood managed to go from "American Idol" to the top of the country gal heap. And that heap (Taylor Swift, Miranda Lambert, et al.) tends to sit squarely in the pop-country category, churning out powerful ballads and girl-power jams with country twists (think excessive mentions of whiskey, boots, shotguns, lakes and cowboys). Top 40 country radio eats up single after single.

"Good Girl"—the first single off her new album, "Blown Away"—fills this role perfectly. The guy sucks, the girl needs to get out and Underwood snarls through the foot-stomping chorus. If the entire album followed suit, it would have provided an inevitable string of unoriginal hits.

But other than this first single, I can only see "Thank God For Hometowns" being a track I'd go back to. It's another in a series



Blown Away
Carrie Underwood



Carrie Underwood performs 'Good Girl' at the Country Music Awards in April. GETTY IMAGES FILE

of small-town nostalgia tracks a la Miranda Lambert's "The House That Built Me" and Jason Aldean's "Fly Over States." Faux-sentimental hogwash ... that gets me every time.

Unfortunately, Underwood has decided to go in what I assume she considers a "dark" direction. There's an over-the-top revenge fantasy jam ("Two Black Cadillacs") that will have you re-listening to make sure she's really suggesting that, yes, a man's wife and mistress have teamed up to off him. And the

title track includes a too-low-for-her-voice chanting section that involves the lyrics, "There's not enough wind in Oklahoma/ to rip the nails out of the past."

If your eyes already are rolling away, I do not recommend skipping ahead to the reggae-tinged summer jam "One Way Ticket," which reminds us that "life is like a ride on a party bus."

I think I've finally realized why people hate country music.

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Master of My Make-Believe
 Santigold

By Ernest Wilkins

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Santi White is a badass. There's no other way to express the feeling you get from listening to her first full-length since 2008's "Santogold," back when that was her stage name.

For "Master of My Make-Believe," Santigold reunites with old

friends and collaborators Diplo and Switch and completely disregards petty things such as what a "pop song" is or how a "rap song" should sound.

Listen to "Look At These Hoes" and long for romantic notions of a much-grittier NYC past; then shift to the single "Freak Like Me," which sits reggae rhythms and electronic drums at the same table and makes them eat all their vegetables before they can leave. The song "The Keepers" is pure, unadulterated New Wave, and I'll fight you if you disagree.

Pardon the hyperbole, but this album is that good. Listen by any means necessary.

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SONG REVIEW

Youth Without Youth

Metric
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By Jessica Galliard

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In my experience, when you're a Metric fan, you're a Metric fan. Five-ish albums of new wave and indie-rock, a song on the "Scott Pilgrim vs. the World" soundtrack,

some beautiful acoustic sessions—you love it all. So waiting almost three years for new material has been a bit brutal.

On Monday, lead singer Emily Haines and guitarist Jimmy Shaw posted the first single off the new album "Synthetica," due June 12, titled "Youth Without Youth." It may be a little more mainstream with a wider appeal than 2009's "Fantasies" or 2007's "Live it Out," but it's definitely still got that Metric edge to it that will more than satisfy die-hards. Think: glam-rock for 20-somethings wearing floral and combat boots who are pissed off about their student loans (me, I guess?).

"Youth Without Youth" has a stadium-esque bounce to it that will serve as the perfect opener at the band's Lolla set this summer, with Haines' seductive purr that easily turns into a crowd-energizer as the drums and guitars grow a little more anxious and, well, louder midway through the song.



Metric
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It's definitely angry, but in that "I just overdrew my bank account and have no food, so I'm going to get maddeningly drunk and yell and have the time of my life instead of crying about it" sort of way.

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Prototype 2

Xbox 360, PS3



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THREE TO PLAY

BY RYAN SMITH | FOR REDEYE



PS3 Game

World Gone Sour

Xbox 360, PS3



Few expected a licensed video game based on Sour Patch Kids candy to stand out as a masterpiece, but to its credit, "World Gone Sour" is surprisingly OK, especially for its \$5 asking price. Like a warped version of "Toy Story," the game stars a discarded piece of candy who must work its way through a garbage can, a movie theater and other environments in the hopes of eventually getting eaten. The controls could use some more tweaking, and the action gets repetitive, but it's worth a single play-through, especially for the amusingly sarcastic narration of Creed Bratton of "The Office" fame.



Marvel vs. Capcom 2

iOS



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Funny business

Jokes and Notes owner **Mary Lindsey** makes sure customers laugh with her



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By Julia Borcherts | FOR REDEYE

When Mary Lindsey opened Jokes and Notes in January 2006, no one was more surprised than she. The former co-owner of '90s South Loop showcase club All Jokes Aside, which gave early exposure to major talent such as Chris Rock, Dave Chappelle and Jamie Foxx, said she was burned out by the nightlife that comes with running a top comedy club.

"I tell you, I had no intention [of opening a new club]," she said. "But I would often run into comedians—around the city and when I was traveling in L.A.—that missed All Jokes Aside. They were like, 'We need a hub to go and work out our magic.' There was a huge void for the urban comics because there was no one in the city to represent them in a real comedy club format."

Former Ald. Dorothy Tillman, working to bring businesses to her Bronzeville ward to support re-gentrification efforts, eventually convinced Lindsey to open her new club. It regularly hosts national acts including George Willborn, Mo'Nique and Bill Bellamy along with weeknight local showcases and an open mic. The club has served as the springboard to the national spotlight for several house

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MCs including Deon Cole (Comedy Central, "The Tonight Show with Conan O'Brien") and Lil Rel, who has been cast in Fox's upcoming "In Living Color" reboot.

This weekend, Jokes and Notes observes its sixth anniversary. We called Lindsey to see how she's planning to celebrate and what she's learned about the business of being funny.

What do you have planned for the anniversary celebration?

It will be so fun. It's going to be all the local comedians in the city on Friday night, and then Saturday night, I am going to actually showcase my house MCs—George Willborn, Marlon Mitchell, Damon Williams, Lil Rel, Tony Sculfield, Leon Rogers. The only one

that won't be there is Deon Cole 'cause he's in L.A. He's coming in soon though.

But more importantly, I'm giving back to the customers on both days—the Friday 8:30 show and the Saturday 8:30 show, the first 50 people in line will get free tickets. And we're giving away door prizes, all kinds of giveaways.

You mentioned that you surprised yourself by getting back into the comedy business.

What else has surprised you?

When I first opened the club, I was like, "I know we're a black comedy club, but I don't want to be cubbyholed." After Year 2 or 3, I started to see the diversity of the comics. Now I have Latina, I have Irish, I have everybody performing on that stage. And so that old stigma—North Side comics will not come to the South Side; they will not come past 22nd [Street]—on any given Wednesday, I'll have at least 10 white comics, and they're well-received.

How can you tell when a comedian's got what it takes to be successful?

They tend to be very consistent with writing;

writing is really key. And more comics are now trying to include a little bit of sketch comedy and that's working really well. This generation of comics is very smart. They're studying the Steve Harveys and the Mo'Niques and all those guys that have made it—Cedric [the Entertainer] and Bernie Mac. And it's making them better comedians.

You have a reputation as an enforcer-type businesswoman. What are your rules?

I am a time titan. They have to respect the time. For national acts, I do have them sign a form that says that you will have to pay a fine if you go over the time. It's not a banquet hall where we're just having a party. There's a format here; it's a business and I try to be consistent so that people waiting for the second show aren't sitting outside in the cold or the heat when they could be enjoying themselves and having some cocktails.

I also require them to have good stage presence physically; to project a professional image. Because I think that if you want to be taken serious, you gotta dress the part.

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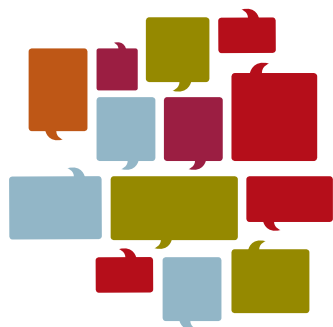


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- 1 Cloudy vapor that makes driving hard
4 Day;
tree-planting event
9 Oliver's request
13 Astonished
15 Actress Keaton
16 Passionate
17 Close-at-hand
18 City in Utah
19 Late actor Foxx
20 Gloomiest
22 Author Zane
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26 Deep gaps
29 Earnings ; yearly salary
34 Reigns
35 One over par
36 Stop dime
37 Fleur-de-lis
38 Flat-bottomed boat
39 Mix in a bowl
40 BPOE member
41 Drills a hole
42 Prickly plants
43 Lawn planter's choice
45 Hidden stores
46 Hearing organ
47 Couldn't swim
48 Voting alliance
51 system; intestines, stomach, etc.
56 Pig's comment
57 Chris of tennis
58 Drug agent
60 Turn ; become
61 "Home on the"
62 Oscar-winning Leslie Caron film
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TODAY IN THE YEAR ...

1994: Nelson Mandela claimed victory in the wake of South Africa's first democratic elections.
1997: Labor Party leader Tony Blair, at 44, became Britain's youngest prime minister in 185 years.
2011: Al-Qaida leader Osama bin Laden, the most wanted man in the world, was shot to death by an elite team of U.S. commandos that stormed a compound in Abbottabad, Pakistan.

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By Dana Moran | REDEYE

After MTV announced some changes last month in the format of its movie awards, we were a little skeptical about what this year's class of nominees would bring. But Tuesday's big reveal found two of our faves—"Bridesmaids" and "The Hunger Games"—out front with eight nominations apiece. But what does it take to bring home a big ol' bucket of golden popcorn? We broke down four categories based on our own, slightly ridiculous criteria to find out who might win when the awards are announced June 3. DAMORAN@TRIBUNE.COM | @REDEYEDANA

Cinema games

WE'VE GOT OUR OWN IDEAS ABOUT WHO SHOULD WIN

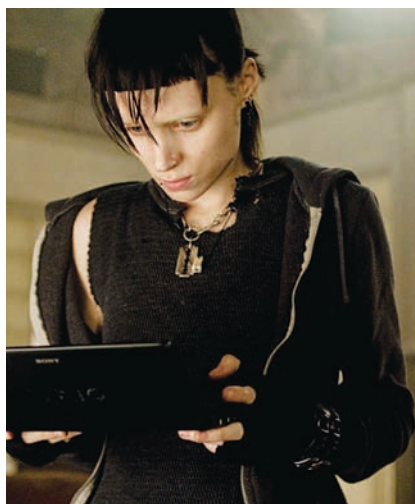
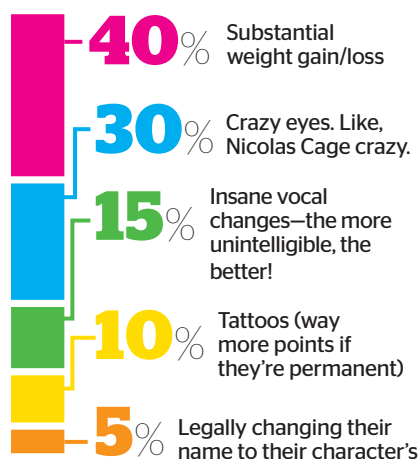
AT THE MTV MOVIE AWARDS

CATEGORY BEST ON-SCREEN TRANSFORMATION

NOMINEES

- » Elizabeth Banks, "The Hunger Games"
- » Rooney Mara, "The Girl With the Dragon Tattoo"
- » Johnny Depp, "21 Jump Street"
- » Michelle Williams, "My Week With Marilyn"
- » Colin Farrell, "Horrible Bosses"

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OUR WINNER ROONEY MARA

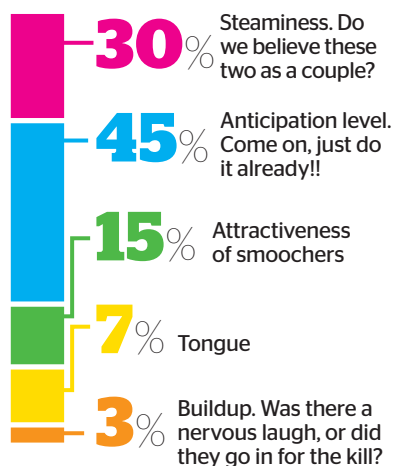
Colin Farrell was a hideous, paunchy second, but we've got an Oscar loss to make up for here.

CATEGORY BEST KISS

NOMINEES

- » Ryan Gosling and Emma Stone, "Crazy, Stupid, Love"
- » Rupert Grint and Emma Watson, "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows: Part 2"
- » Jennifer Lawrence and Josh Hutcherson, "The Hunger Games"
- » Rachel McAdams and Channing Tatum, "The Vow"
- » Robert Pattinson and Kristen Stewart, "The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn—Part 1"

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OUR WINNER RUPERT AND EMMA

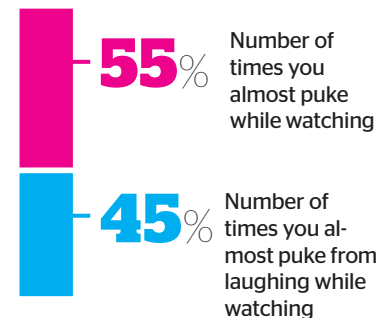
Though they're not as hot as Gosling and Stone, we'd been waiting 10 YEARS FOR THIS. J-Law and Hutch just don't have the chemistry to compete.

CATEGORY BEST GUT-WRENCHING PERFORMANCE

NOMINEES

- » "Bridesmaids" (Kristen Wiig, Maya Rudolph, Rose Byrne, Melissa McCarthy, Wendi McClendon-Covey and Ellie Kemper)
- » "The Help" (Bryce Dallas Howard)
- » "21 Jump Street" (Jonah Hill and Rob Riggle)
- » "Drive" (Ryan Gosling)
- » "Mission: Impossible—Ghost Protocol" (Tom Cruise)

CRITERIA:



OUR WINNER 'BRIDESMAIDS'

We were confused by this category—is it supposed to be things that gross you out, or things that crack you up? We're gonna go with the only one that's victorious at both.

CATEGORY BEST FIGHT

NOMINEES

- » Daniel Radcliffe vs. Ralph Fiennes, "Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, Part 2"
- » Jennifer Lawrence and Josh Hutcherson vs. Alexander Ludwig, "The Hunger Games"
- » Channing Tatum and Jonah Hill vs. Kid Gang, "21 Jump Street"
- » Tom Hardy vs. Joel Edgerton, "Warrior"
- » Tom Cruise vs. Michael Nyqvist, "Mission: Impossible—Ghost Protocol"

CRITERIA



OUR WINNER DANIEL RADCLIFFE VS. RALPH FIENNES

Again, we've been waiting YEARS for this, and both the entire magical and real worlds would collapse if Harry had lost. Oops, spoiler alert!

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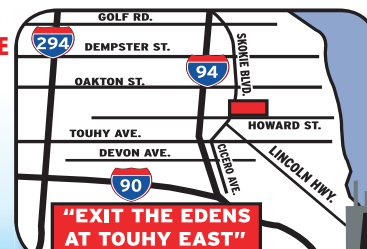
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Finally!

The celebrity gossip community's long, anguished wait is over: Jessica Simpson gave birth Tuesday to a healthy 3-year-old girl. OK, so the baby isn't 3, but she did weigh in at 9 pounds, 13 ounces, *Us Weekly* magazine reports. The girl's name: Maxwell Drew Johnson. She's the first child for Simpson and fiancé Eric Johnson, a former pro football player.



Who's the 'Men'?

The CBS comedy that no one will admit to watching is going to be around at least another season, it appears. "Two and a Half Men" stars Ashton Kutcher, Jon Cryer and Angus T. Jones have signed one-year deals that will take them into a 10th season next year, according to **thr.com**. The deals give the trio of stars a slight raise. Nice work, fellas.

'Pianist' meets 'Speed'

Elijah Wood soon will be playing piano like someone's life depends on it. Wood has signed on to star in "Grand Piano," a movie about a stage-frightened concert pianist who must deliver a flawless performance to save his wife's life, **thr.com** reports. Because nothing draws audiences to the theater like a tagline along the lines of "one wrong note and his wife gets it!"



Elijah Wood
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—Hillary Clinton, in a letter to Jason Segel, referencing his desire to make a movie with the secretary of state, according to **politico.com**



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Death Cab for Cutie

Stop this Cab

If you love Death Cab for Cutie, be sure to catch the band July 12 at the Taste of Chicago. "I think a break of some kind is probably in order. It's all malleable," guitarist Chris Walla told **billboard.com**. "We could jump right back in the studio and make another record or it could be another two or three years."

THE DIGIT

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That's the number of nominations "Bridesmaids" and "The Hunger Games" each earned in the reformatted MTV Movie Awards, the network announced Tuesday. The golden popcorn trophies will be handed out at 8 p.m. June 3.

» What makes a best kiss? How tough is it to transform yourself for a role? Check out our breakdown of the nominees on **Page 38**.

HOT DATE

JULY 16

That's when Nicki Minaj will make it a Pink Monday at the Chicago Theatre. Tickets to the concert go on sale Saturday.



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